

SERBIANS IN RETREAT

INVADERS PUSH SERBIANS BACK

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Struggle Becoming More
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RUSSIAN TROOPS SAIL

Italian Attacks Are Reported as
Repulsed after Sanguinary
Struggle with Austrians.

BERLIN, Oct. 30.—Continued progress for the Teutonic forces invading Serbia is reported in today's official statement by army headquarters, 1,000 Serbians have been made prisoner, and three cannon taken.

PARIS, Oct. 30.—The British troops which were landed at Saloniki are said by the Havas correspondent there to have received orders from London to depart for the Serbian front.

The correspondent adds that a junction with Serbian troops already has been effected.

LONDON, Oct. 30.—The position of Serbia is becoming more desperate daily. Nish is threatened by the Bulgarians, while the Austro-Germans are gradually opening the way toward the great Serbian arsenal at Kragujevitz. Rome reports that the Serbian capital has been removed "to a certain point."

According to the latest official report from Sofia, the Serbians are in retreat in a westerly direction all along the Bulgarian front. Unofficial despatches state that a Bulgarian officer, commanding an advance patrol has dined with the Austro-German staff. The Bulgarians assert that they are in possession of Negotin and several villages in the Timok valley, which gives them a strategic position of primary importance. The complete capture of Pirot is now claimed by the war office at Sofia, which says the Bulgarian troops, after storming the southern fortifications, penetrated the town, where they put an end to the fighting.

With the exception of the unofficial report that the French are now firmly in possession of Strumitsa no news has been received that the seaports recently bombarded suffered severely. A Biharest despatch says that Russian troops have set sail from Odessa and Sebastopol for the Bulgarian coast.

Along the other fronts severe fighting is reported without decisive results. An important struggle is in progress on the Austro-Italian line. Vienna reports Italian attacks were repulsed after a sanguinary struggle. The cabinet changes in France are finding an echo in the discussion as to the advisability of creating a British war council to consist of the premier, war secretary and first lord of the admiralty, to have supreme direction of the war.

It is reported unofficially that King George, who was injured on Thursday by a fall from his horse, passed a good day yesterday.

RUSSIAN TROOPS SET
SAIL ON BLACK SEA

COPENHAGEN, Oct. 30.—Large contingents of Russian troops have set sail from the Black Sea ports of Odessa and Sebastopol for the Bulgarian coast, the Berlin Tageblatt says.

The despatch telegraphed to the Tageblatt from Bucharest says that the transports are conveyed by a strong squadron. The recent attack by Russian warships on the Bulgarian port of Varna, according to this account, was made in preparation for an attempt to land troops.

GREAT BATTLE IS BEGUN
BY ARMIES IN BOSNIA

PARIS, Oct. 30.—The Montenegrin legation today received the following official despatch:
"A great battle between Montenegrins and Austrians troops began south of Visegrad, Bosnia, October 28. The result is not yet known."
"The Montenegrins attacked the Austrians energetically at Gora, inflicting large losses and making a certain number of prisoners. There is

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FIND BOY DEAD ON HILL WITH BULLET HOLE IN HIS BRAIN

Mystery Surrounds the Death
of Clyde A. Robey near
Shinnston.

Mystery surrounds the death of Clyde A. Robey, aged 16, whose lifeless body with a bullet in his brain was found early Saturday morning upon a hill above West Shinnston. Whether he committed suicide or was murdered is not known and the authorities are making a rigid investigation.

Young Robey left his home at Shinnston two days ago, apparently

NEW TELEPHONE NUMBER.

An additional telephone wire has been strung into the Telegram office by the Central District Telephone Company, (the Bell system), which gives independent communication with the business and the editorial departments. The number of the business office telephone is now 283 and of the editorial rooms 390.

Persons having business to transact with the Telegram should call 283 on the Bell telephone. Advertising, circulation and contest managers should be called on that telephone. Persons having items of news or the like should call 390, the editorial department.

VILLA'S MEN HARDLY ABLE TO BATTLE

And the Women and Children
with His Army Are in Very
Pitiable Condition.

DOUGLAS, Ariz., Oct. 30.—General Francisco Villa's army resumed at daylight its march on Agua Prieta, Sonora, across the border from here, preceded by a cavalry advance guard, which reached a point eighteen miles east of here. Scouts of General Elias Calles, Carranza commander at Agua Prieta, reported Villa troops were hardly able to fight and that the women and children composing the customary camp followers were in a pitiable state.

Two troops of the United States infantry were placed on guard at Slaughter's ranch today, across the border from Villa's advance guard.

Villa's main army, which camped last night in the San Bernardino valley, about forty miles southeast of here began at daylight its slow journey up the valley. Five hundred cavalry reached Slaughter's ranch, where horses were turned loose in the alfalfa field. Fifteen head of cattle had wandered across the line from the American side and disappeared. Their return was not expected.

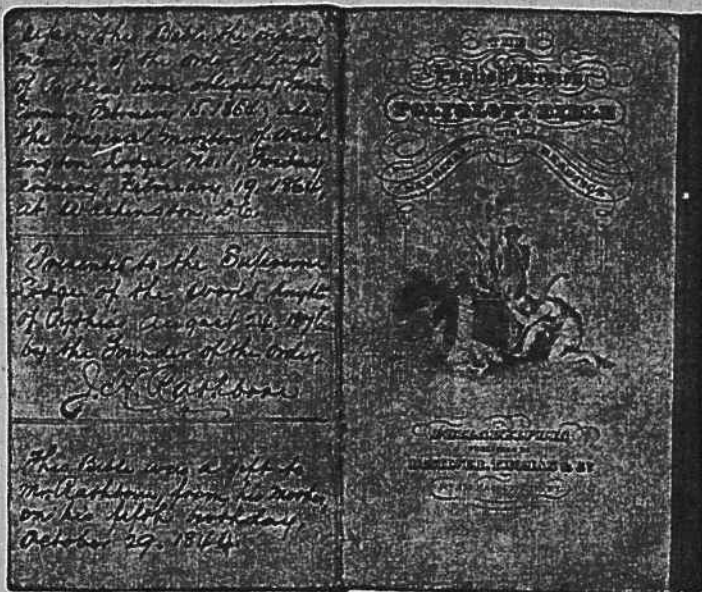
General Calles reported officially today that a detachment of eight hundred men sent to Caballona yesterday killed twenty men in the Villa advance guard and scattered more than a thousand after capturing fourteen.

ONE HUNDRED MEN MISSING

After Collision between British
Auxiliary Sweeper and An-
other British Warship.

LONDON, Oct. 30.—One hundred men were reported missing after a collision between the British auxiliary sweeper, Hythe, and another British warship off the Gallipoli peninsula in which the Hythe was sunk. Announcement was made today in an official statement by the British admiralty as follows:
"During the night of October 28-29 H. M. S. Hythe, an auxiliary sweeper, was sunk after being in collision with another of his majesty's ships off the Gallipoli peninsula."
"At the time of the collision it had on board about 250 men. One hundred are reported missing."

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ORIGINAL RATHBONE BIBLE.

PARENTS ARE PREPARING FOR BIG BATTLE OF VOTES

End of Eight Weeks' Race for
Gold, Honor and Glory for
Baby in Sight.

NEW LEADERS FOR GOLD

The End Will Come Next Mon-
day Night Promptly at
9 O'clock.

TO-DAY'S LEADERS.

Grand Prize.
ODUS RAY KINCAID..... 450,594
District First Prize.
GERALD REED..... 440,271
District Second Prize.
JOE MORRIS ADAMS..... 448,227

The last day of the Clarksburg Telegram Show of Gold for Babies will be Monday. The candidates in both the districts endeavored to be in the lead this evening, and it will be noticed the second district carries off the honor. And it is from Folsom, for Odus Ray Kincaid tops the list by unusually heavy balloting.

Gerald Reed leads for the first prize in District No. 1, and Joe Morris Adams has the same honor in District No. 2. The lead really does not mean much, because just a few thousand votes separates the leading candidates. From present indications, the winner of the \$500 in gold will have the smallest kind of a margin, in fact one subscription may be sufficient.

Taken as a whole a big vote was cast yesterday as will be noticed by reading the list of babies on another page. They all seem to be anxious to capture the first position.

There will be just two more changes in the vote standing until the board of judges make them next Tuesday night. The standing will not be published Tuesday, but will appear the last time in Wednesday's Daily Telegram. The leaders on that day will hold the glory and honor of the Gold Show campaign for life. That is the time to lead.

Clarksburg will witness some lively work by the candidates Monday, as it will be the last day in which votes can be secured that will benefit the candidate striving for the magnificent awards to be made by the judges next Tuesday night.

If you have promised your subscription to help some baby share in the gold offered by this newspaper,

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METAL SEARCH

By Germans Results in Fierce
Struggle with Vilna Popu-
lace for Two Days.

LONDON, Oct. 30.—A despatch from Petrograd says:
"When in a serious search for metals which had been commandeered by the authorities the Germans began to strip orthodox and Roman Catholic churches in Vilna they were opposed by an enormous crowd of citizens armed with bombs and grenades. The fierce struggle between the inhabitants and the Germans, in which many soldiers and civilians were killed, lasted two days."

HUERTA SUPPORTER

In the Shape of a Newspaper is
Suppressed by Order of
General Carranza.

GALVESTON, Tex., Oct. 30.—According to advices received by the Carranza representatives here the Mexican Herald, of Mexico City, a consistent antagonist to the revolution and warm supporter of Huerta, was suppressed last night by Constitutional authorities.

Through the same channel comes information that prosecution of persons implicated in the assassination of Francisco Madero and Pino Suarez is being continued.

SUPREME LODGE OFFICER WILL GIVE OBLIGATION

POLICE DETAIN KINNEY.

Harry Kinney, a young man who says his home is a McKeesport, Pa., is being held by local police as a lunatic, pending action of the authorities at the state hospital at Weston. Kinney was arrested in Glen Elk this morning by Officers Howe and Gill. It is probable that a representative of the state hospital will come here to see if Kinney is the man who escaped from the hospital a few days ago.

MUST SUPPORT CHILD.

S. D. Myers, a Mount Clare coal miner, was required to pay \$12 a month for the support of his minor child when tried Friday evening in Magistrate R. Edward Kidd's court on a charge of failing to support his wife and child.



FRED E. WHEATON
Supreme Keeper of Records and Seal
of Knights of Pythias.

When Rank of Page Will Be
Conferred Here on Rathbone
Bible Class November 15.

BIG NIGHT IN PYTHIANISM

Ceremonies to Be Held in Ma-
sonic Temple with Elab-
orate Appointments.

Monday night, November 15, will be a great night here in Knights of Pythias circles, when the rank of page will be conferred upon a large class to be known as the Rathbone Bible class beginning at 7:30 o'clock in the Masonic temple. The obligation will be given by the Hon. Fred Ellsworth Wheaton, supreme keeper of the records and seals of the supreme lodge, who will do similar service the same week at Fairmont, Wheeling, Huntington and Charleston.

The local lodge through a committee has issued the following bulletin of information to Pythians concerning the initiation of the Bible class here:

"We beg leave to inform you that on the night of November 15, 1915, the rank of page will be conferred upon a large class to be known as the 'Rathbone Bible Class' under auspices of Clarksburg Lodge No. 39, Knights of Pythias, and the several Pythian lodges of Harrison county. Clarksburg is to be one of the five cities in this state that will be visited by General Fred E. Wheaton with the original Rathbone Bible. The obligation of the rank of page will be administered in person by General Wheaton, S. K. R. S., and the candidates will receive the obligation on the Rathbone Bible."

"It is the earnest desire and purpose of local Pythians to make November 15 the biggest Pythian rally that has ever been held in central West Virginia, and to this end most urgently request that all lodges in the central and the northern part of the state be represented in this mammoth class, which should not be less than 200 in number."

"Your lodge is urged to bring, or send, to this lodge, the names of those who will be entitled to receive the rank of page on that date so that they may have the honor and pleasure of being obligated by a supreme lodge officer on the sacred book which was used by Justice Henry Paterson in obligating the first members of the first Pythian lodge ever instituted."

"If you have candidates for the page rank bring them to Clarksburg to share in this great event; if you do not have any candidates, be busy. Every lodge in reasonable reach of Clarksburg should have one or more candidates in the class."

In addition, Grand Chancellor O. W. West of this state has issued the following address to Pythians in connection with Mr. Wheaton's coming visit to West Virginia:

The Honorable Fred Ellsworth Wheaton, supreme keeper of records and seal, of the supreme lodge, has given West Virginia a week, during which time he will conduct a series of Rathbone Bible classes in the page rank. At each meeting he will have personal supervision of the work, which will be put on by a selected rank team, with the supreme keeper of records and seal officiating as prelate. At each meeting all candidates for the rank of page will be obligated on the historic and now famous Rathbone Bible. The history of this Bible is of supreme interest to every member of the order. It was presented to Justice Henry Rathbone, founder of the order of Knights of Pythias, by his mother, over eighty years ago when her son was a school boy. It was carried by him through his useful and distinguished career. It was always a source of inspiration to him and was constantly before him during his studies and research which led to the founding of our great order. It was used by him on the ever memorable night of February 19, 1864, when he obligated the first Knight of Pythias and the charter member of Washington Lodge No. 1. Shortly before entering upon "life's most lovely voyage," he gave the Bible, with his autograph and a short history of it, to the supreme lodge, Knights of Pythias. It remained locked in the archives of the supreme lodge as its most priceless possession, until a short while ago when the distinguished and brilliant supreme keeper of records and seal consented to use it to obligate a large class in the page rank, in one of the northwestern domains. The widest publicity was given to this meeting. It was heralded throughout the country—there was an instant demand for Brother Wheaton and the historic Bible from all over the supreme domain. This demand has constantly increased, and for upwards of two years we have been trying to secure him for one week in West Virginia. After the first of the year when it was ascertained that West Virginia had reached the top of the ladder of Pythian distinction, by making the largest gain in membership, not only for the year 1914, but for five consecutive years, we again earnestly laid our claim before the supreme keeper of records and seal and beseeched him, almost to give West Virginia one week of his precious time, reinforcing our plea by quoting the records of his office which proved us to be the "Premier Domain" in point of membership gains. We finally ex-

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GRAND OLD MAN OF CANADA DEAD NOW AT ADVANCED AGE

DR. M'CUAIG RETURNS TO SALEM CITY

Great Social Purity Campaigner
Will Make Addresses in Sec-
ond City of the County.

SALEM, Oct. 30.—Dr. J. Aspinall McCuaig, of New York, who two weeks ago lectured at the Salem college and in the First Baptist church, will speak four times in Salem tomorrow: At 11:00 a. m., in the Methodist Episcopal church he will preach on "The Great Question."



Dr. J. Aspinall McCuaig.

At 2:30 p. m., in the college auditorium, Dr. McCuaig will address a mass meeting of the men of Salem on "Bad Men," and at 4:00 p. m., in the same place, immediately following the first, commanding an advance patrol, men on "Woman's Failure."

A great union church meeting will be held at 7:30 p. m., in the First Baptist church, when Dr. McCuaig will speak on "The Supreme Good, or That Which Would Make Every Man Happy."

MEAT SCHEDULE

Directed by the Government in
Berlin to Be Observed is
Made Public.

LONDON, Oct. 30.—German newspapers publish the schedule prepared by the German federal council in pursuance of the decision to restrict the consumption of meat. This schedule is as follows:
Mondays and Thursdays: restaurants shall offer no meat, fish, fowl or dishes cooked in lard, bacon or drippings.
Tuesdays and Fridays: Butchers shall sell no raw or cooked meat.
Thus far the federal council has placed no restriction on cooking of meats in homes.

MINERS ARE PAID.

The Consolidation and other coal companies paid their miners Saturday for work done the first part of the month. The Consolidation here paid \$57,000.

Sir Charles Tupper, Canadian
Statesman, Ends Long and
Useful Earthly Career.

OTTAWA, Oct. 30.—Sir Charles Tupper, venerable Canadian statesman, died in England today. He was 94 years old.

From the establishment of the Dominion of Canada in 1867, in which he played a prominent part, up to within a few years ago, Sir Charles Tupper was so prominent in Canadian statesmanship that upon his retirement like the late Lord Strathcona, was called "Canada's Grand Old Man."

Born at Amherst, Nova Scotia, July 2, 1821, he studied medicine at Edinburgh University, and attained success in the profession in his native Nova Scotia, where he entered politics in 1855 by winning a seat in the Nova Scotia parliament as a Conservative. He defeated Joseph Howe, leader of Nova Scotia Liberals.

Young Tupper made himself a power in parliament, and became premier of Nova Scotia in 1864. After the formation of the confederation he became minister of customs in the Sir John Macdonald cabinet that resigned in 1873, and was Sir John's closest adviser in the five years during which the Conservative party was out of power. In 1878, when Macdonald returned to office, Dr. Tupper became minister of public works. He created the department of railways and canals and became its first minister. In this post he carried out the policy of the government for enlargement of the Welland canal, deepening of the St. Lawrence river, improvement of the Intercolonial railway and construction by a private company of the Canadian Pacific railway.

He retired from the ministry in 1884 and went to London as Canada's highest commissioner. In 1887 he was recalled, to be minister of finance in Macdonald's new cabinet, but resigned next year and resumed his duties in London. In January, 1896, he entered the Sir Mackenzie Bowell administration as secretary of state and leader in the house of commons, and on the retirement of Bowell four months afterward he succeeded him as prime minister.

After the defeat of the Conservatives in June, 1896, Dr. Tupper resigned office and upon the meeting of the new parliament he was elected leader of the opposition. A few years later he retired to private life. Several years ago he went to London, intending to spend his remaining years there. His leave-taking was made the occasion of a great popular demonstration in Vancouver. Dr. Tupper was created a baronet in 1879. He was at one time the president of the Canadian Medical Association.

TORPEDO

Sank the Hesperian Declares
Secretary Robert Lansing
of State Department.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—Secretary Lansing announced today that the navy department had indicated that the fragment of the engine of war which sank the Allen liner, Hesperian, was a part of a torpedo. The German government has persistently denied that the Hesperian was torpedoed. In the opinion of United States naval experts the fragment could not have been a part of a marine mine.

The secretary said the result of the navy department investigation would immediately be communicated to the German government or to Ambassador Bernstorff.

PRIZES FOR WORK OF BOYS IN CLUB WORK

According to Announcement by
the County Superintendent
and the Farm Agent.

Carl W. Lawson, county superintendent of schools, and W. D. Zinn, county agricultural agent, make the following announcement of prizes for boys' agricultural club work in the county:

All prizes, except as herein specified, will be donated in cash by the Clarksburg Board of Trade.

Class 1.—Agricultural short course, West Virginia University; Second—Suit of clothes or an overcoat by National Woolen Mills Co.; third, \$2.

Class 2.—Two hundred hill contest, ten ears white corn. First, \$5; second \$3.50; third, \$2.

Class 3.—Two hundred hill contest, ten ears yellow corn. First, \$5; second, \$3.50; third, \$2.50; fourth, \$2.

Class 4.—Contest for best single ear. First, \$5; second, \$2; third, \$1.

Class 1.—Best yield on one-eighth acre plot. First, \$5; second \$3.50; third, \$2. All contestants must have one peck of potatoes on exhibit.

Class 1.—Contest for best pen of poultry, any breed. First, \$3; second, \$2; third, \$1.

Class 1.—Best pig under one year old, cost of production being considered. First, \$3; second, \$2; third, \$1.

Class 2.—Best record of pig produced, weight and cost per pound being considered. First, \$3; second, \$2; third, \$1.

A year ago Harvey Harmer distributed to scores of farmers seed from a large pumpkin which he grew on his farm. He is now offering \$10 in cash to the boy or girl under 16 years of age who has produced the largest pumpkin from that seed, provided it is larger than the one he grew last year. We would be glad to have farmers bring exhibits which will be judged and cards awarded. All exhibits must be at the court room before 12 o'clock on Saturday, November 6. Everybody is invited to attend the show.

RECALL

Of Brand Whitlock from Bel-
gium is Said to Have Been
Demanded by Germany.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—Berlin despatches reflecting published statements in Germany demanding the recall of Brand Whitlock, American minister to Belgium, because of his report on the execution of Miss Edith Cavell, the British nurse, attracted attention of administration officials here but elicited no comment further than statements that the United States had no official intimation from Germany that Mr. Whitlock no longer was acceptable. The German despatches made a point of the fact that the seat of the Belgian government no longer is at Brussels but at Havre and suggested that Mr. Whitlock should be at the latter place.

Miss Sarah Williamson, of Anderson, Ind., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jess Stealey, at Point Comfort a few days.